

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2006-92-W/S - ORDER NO. 2006-362

JUNE 12, 2006

IN RE:	Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc. for) ORDER GRANTING
	Adjustment of Rates and Charges for the) REQUEST TO HOLD
	Provision of Water and Sewer Service) NOTICE IN ABEYANCE

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request of Carolina Water Service, Inc. (CWS or the Company) to hold in abeyance the requirement that customers in the Company's Dorchester County service area be supplied notice of the public hearing to be held in Summerville.

The request states that CWS and Dorchester County are negotiating a contract for the transfer of CWS's Kings Grant sewer system and the Teal on Ashley water and sewer systems to Dorchester County. An executed contract is expected to be submitted for Commission approval later this week. The request notes that a transfer of the CWS systems to Dorchester County will remove these systems from Commission jurisdiction. Accordingly, CWS requests that this Commission grant its request to hold in abeyance the notification of CWS's Dorchester County customers of a public hearing in Summerville currently scheduled for July 13, 2006. A transfer of the two systems would negate the need for a public hearing, according to CWS.

We grant the request. Clearly, a transfer of the Kings Grant sewer system and the Teal on Ashley water and sewer systems from CWS to Dorchester County would remove

these systems from this Commission's jurisdiction, and would negate the need for a public hearing. Accordingly, we grant the request to hold in abeyance the requirement that customers in these areas be supplied notice of the night public hearing.

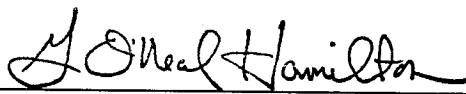
This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



Randy Mitchell, Chairman

ATTEST:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice-Chairman

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